

I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the U.S. Postal Service with sufficient postage as First Class Mail in an envelope addressed to: Box AF Assistant Commissioner for Patents, Washington, D.C., 20231, on:



Date: May 24, 2002

By:

Valerie Peterson  
Valerie Peterson

#20

PATENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

IN RE APPLICATION OF:

Paul L. Hickman

APPLICATION No.: 08/810,620

FILED: February 28, 1997

FOR: **METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR  
COMPUTING OVER A WIDE AREA  
NETWORK**

EXAMINER: DUNG C. DINH

ART UNIT: 2153

CONFIRMATION No: 9149

RECEIVED

JUN 12 2002

Technology Center 2100

COPY OF PAPERS  
ORIGINALLY FILED

Notice of Appeal and Petition for Extension  
of Time

Box AF  
Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

06/07/2002 JADD01 00000097 502207 08810620

01 FC:219 160.00 CH  
02 FC:217 460.00 CH

Sir:

Applicant hereby appeals from the decision of the Examiner dated November 21, 2001, rejecting claims 1-18, 21 and 22.

The items checked below are appropriate:

☒ Fee for Notice of Appeal (37 CFR §1.17(b))

☐ Other than Small Entity: \$320.00

☒ Small Entity: \$160.00

☒ Petition for Extension of Time. Applicant hereby petitions for a 3-Month Extension of Time, to extend the period for response to May 27, 2002.

Extension Fee (37 CFR §1.17(a)(1)-(a)(5)):

☐ Other than Small Entity:

☐ \$110.00 ☐ \$400.00 ☐ \$920.00 ☐ \$1440.00 ☐ \$1960.00

☒ Small Entity:

☐ \$55.00 ☐ \$200.00 ☒ \$460.00 ☐ \$720.00 ☐ \$980.00

☒ Conditional Petition for Extension of Time

Applicant petitions for an Extension of Time if necessary for timely filing of this Notice of Appeal.

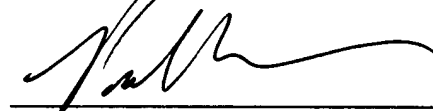
☒ Fee Payment

☐ Check enclosed for \$

☒ Please charge the above fee(s) to Deposit Account No. 50-2207. This paper is provided in triplicate.

☒ Please charge any underpayment for timely filing of this paper to Deposit Account No. 50-2207.

Respectfully submitted,  
Perkins Coie LLP



Paul L. Hickman  
Registration No. 28,516

Date: May 24, 2001

**Correspondence Address:**

Customer No. 22918

Perkins Coie LLP

P.O. Box 2168

Menlo Park, California 94026-2168

(650) 838-4300